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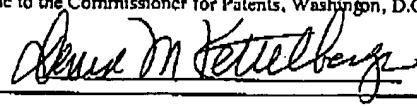
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Communication dated January 22, 2003, Applicants submit the following Preliminary Amendment and Remarks. As the date for timely reply of February 22, 2003 was a Saturday, this response is timely filed. Entry of the Amendment and consideration of the remarks is respectfully requested.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim 1, after entry of the following amendment, for clarity. Please also cancel claims 2-9 and 20-47 as drawn to a non-elected invention, subject to linking claims 28, 29, and 33. On allowance of pending claim 10, the Examiner is reminded that these linking claims must be examined in this case.

Please amend claims 1, and 10-19 as follows: